

Amendments to the Specification:

Please change the title of the invention to:

BEARING ARRANGEMENT FOR AT LEAST ONE GEARWHEEL

Please replace paragraph [0016] with the following amended paragraph:

The gear axle 16 is fixed in a transmission housing 22. The construction or support in bearings of the gear axle 16 will now be described in greater detail with reference to Figs. 1-3. The one end of the gear axle 16 is rotationally fixed in a bearing element configured as a bearing block 24. When the gear axle 16 is installed, the bearing block 24 is fixed within the transmission housing 22 by a bolt 26. The other end 28 of the gear axle 16 is received in a known type of transmission housing cover (not depicted). The bearing block 24, which is made, for example, from an extrusion profile, has a circular-arc-shaped outer contour 24a, which when installed is accommodated in a recess 30 of the transmission housing 22. The inner contour of the recess 30 is likewise circular-arc-shaped and is adapted to the outer contour 24a of the bearing block 24. The circular-arc-shaped outer contour 24a is provided with the thread for receiving the bolt 26. Laterally offset to the threaded hole 32, a locating pin ~~[[32]]~~ 34 is provided which is guided in a second recess 36 (Fig. 3) formed in the transmission housing 22. The recess 36 and the locating pin 34 are dimensioned or oriented such that the latter is seated against or strikes

the end of the conically extending recess 36 when the threaded hole 32 is aligned with the opening 38 for receiving the bolt 26 that is provided in the transmission housing 22. This provides a self-locating position for fixing the bearing block 24 of the gear axle 16 in the transmission housing 22 in a simple manner. Between the gear 18 and the bearing block 24, the gear axle 16 has a larger axle diameter, which serves as an axial locating face for the gear 18.